

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1. (Currently amended) A device for collection of
concrete-like materials from a material storage reservoir or
material distribution means, said collection device
comprising:

a collapsible container adapted to be received proximate
the material storage reservoir or material distribution means,
said container comprising fold lines, wherein said collapsible
container further comprises:

four sides, a top and a bottom, wherein said four
sides comprise length dimensions and height
dimensions, and wherein said height dimensions are
less than or equal to said length dimensions, and
wherein said top has a periphery, further comprising
reinforcements around said periphery of said top;
and,

means adapted for at least partially supporting a portion of said container, whereby said container may receive the materials therewithin.

2. (Canceled)

3. (Currently amended) The device of ~~claim 2~~claim 1, wherein said bottom comprises dimensions, and wherein said length dimensions of said four sides are equal to said dimensions of said bottom to which said sides are attached.

4. (Currently amended) The device of ~~claim 2~~claim 1, wherein said top is at least partially enclosed.

5. (Original) The device of claim 4, further comprising means for permitting entry of concrete-like materials into said collapsible container.

6. (Original) The device of claim 5, wherein said means for permitting entry is a substantially rectangular opening.

7. (Original) The device of claim 6, wherein said means for permitting entry is substantially centrally located within said top.

8. (Withdrawn) The device of claim 6, wherein said top has a center and wherein said means for permitting entry is located between said center of said top and one of said sides.

9. (Withdrawn) The device of claim 5, wherein said means for permitting entry is a tube.

10. (Withdrawn) The device of claim 9, wherein said tube is carried by said top.

11. (Withdrawn) The device of claim 9, wherein said tube is carried by one of said sides.

12. (Withdrawn) The device of claim 9, wherein said tube is substantially cylindrical.

13. (Withdrawn) The device of claim 4, wherein said collapsible container further comprises vents, whereby air can exit from said device.

14. (Withdrawn-currently amended) The device of ~~claim~~
2claim 1, wherein said top is substantially open.

15. (Canceled)

16. (Canceled)

17. (Original) The device of claim 5, wherein said means for permitting entry has a periphery.

18. (Original) The device of claim 17, further comprising reinforcements around said periphery of said means for permitting entry.

19. (Canceled)

20. (Canceled)

21. (Currently amended) The device of ~~claim 19~~claim 110, wherein said loop supports are constructed from a material selected from the group consisting of fabric, metal, reinforced fabric, and plastic.

22. (Withdrawn) The device of claim 21, wherein said means adapted for partially supporting comprises loop supports and reinforcement extensions, and wherein said reinforcement extensions pass through said loop supports.

23. (Withdrawn) The device of claim 22, wherein said reinforcement extensions further comprise support attachment means.

24. (Original) The device of claim 1, wherein said collapsible container further comprises a material that permits water to exit therefrom without permitting concrete particles to exit therefrom.

25. (Original) The device of claim 24, wherein said material comprises a polymer.

26. (Original) The device of claim 24, wherein said material is selected from the group consisting of polyolefins and nylon.

27. (Original) The device of claim 26, wherein said material comprises woven polypropylene.

28. (Currently amended) The device of ~~claim 19~~claim 110, further comprising extension straps attached to said loop supports.

29. (Original) The device of claim 28, wherein said extension straps comprise bungee cords.

30. (Original) The device of claim 28, further comprising means for affixing said extension straps to a support point.

31. (Withdrawn) The device of claim 1, wherein said collapsible container is of round cross-section.

32. (Original) The device of claim 1, wherein said collapsible container comprises any generally prismatic shape.

33. (Currently amended) A device for collection of concrete-like materials from a material storage reservoir or material distribution means, said collection device comprising:

a collapsible container adapted to be received proximate the material storage reservoir or material distribution means, wherein said collapsible container comprises a planar top, and wherein said planar top comprises an opening coplanar with said planar top, wherein said collapsible container further comprises:

four sides, a top and a bottom, wherein said four sides comprise length dimensions and height dimensions, and wherein said height dimensions are less than or equal to said length dimensions, and wherein said top has a periphery, further comprising reinforcements around said periphery of said top;
and,

means adapted for at least partially supporting a portion of said container by the material storage reservoir or material distribution means.

34. (Canceled)

35. (Currently amended) The device of ~~claim 34~~claim 33, wherein said bottom comprises dimensions, and wherein said length dimensions of said four sides are equal to said dimensions of said bottom to which said sides are attached.

36. (Currently amended) The device of ~~claim 34~~claim 33, wherein said top is at least partially enclosed.

37. (Original) The device of claim 36, further comprising means for permitting entry of concrete-like materials into said collapsible container.

38. (Original) The device of claim 37, wherein said means for permitting entry is a substantially rectangular opening.

39. (Original) The device of claim 38, wherein said means for permitting entry is substantially centrally located within said top.

40. (Withdrawn) The device of claim 38, wherein said top has a center and wherein said means for permitting entry

is located between said center of said top and one of said sides.

41. (Withdrawn) The device of claim 37, wherein said means for permitting entry is a tube.

42. (Withdrawn) The device of claim 41, wherein said tube is carried by said top.

43. (Withdrawn) The device of claim 41, wherein said tube is carried by one of said sides.

44. (Withdrawn) The device of claim 41, wherein said tube is substantially cylindrical.

45. (Withdrawn) The device of claim 36, wherein said collapsible container further comprises vents, whereby air can exit from said device.

46. (Withdrawn-currently amended) The device of ~~claim~~
34claim 33, wherein said top is substantially open.

47. (Canceled)

48. (Canceled)

49. (Original) The device of claim 37, wherein said means for permitting entry has a periphery.

50. (Original) The device of claim 49, further comprising reinforcements around said periphery of said means for permitting entry.

51. (Canceled)

52. (Canceled)

53. (Currently amended) The device of ~~claim 51~~claim 111, wherein said loop supports are constructed from a material selected from the group consisting of fabric, metal, reinforced fabric, and plastic.

54. (Withdrawn) The device of claim 53, wherein said means adapted for partially supporting comprises loop supports and reinforcement extensions, and wherein said reinforcement extensions pass through said loop supports.

55. (Withdrawn) The device of claim 54, wherein said reinforcement extensions further comprise support attachment means.

56. (Original) The device of claim 33, wherein said collapsible container further comprises a material that permits water to exit therefrom without permitting concrete particles to exit therefrom.

57. (Original) The device of claim 56, wherein said material comprises a polymer.

58. (Original) The device of claim 56, wherein said material is selected from the group consisting of polyolefins and nylon.

59. (Original) The device of claim 58, wherein said material comprises woven polypropylene.

60. (Currently amended) The device of ~~claim 51~~claim 111, further comprising extension straps attached to said loop supports.

61. (Original) The device of claim 60, wherein said extension straps comprise bungee cords.

62. (Original) The device of claim 60, further comprising means for affixing said extension straps to a support point.

63. (Withdrawn) The device of claim 33, wherein said collapsible container is generally of round cross-section.

64. (Original) The device of claim 33, wherein said collapsible container comprises any generally prismatic shape.

65. (Currently amended) A device for collection of concrete-like materials from a material storage reservoir or material distribution means, said collection device comprising:

a collapsible container having a bottom and a top, wherein said top and said bottom are substantially parallel, and wherein said collapsible container is adapted to be received proximate the material storage reservoir or material

distribution means, wherein said collapsible container further comprises:

four sides, top and bottom, wherein said four sides
comprise length dimensions and height dimensions,
and wherein said height dimensions are less than or
equal to said length dimensions, and wherein said
top has a periphery, further comprising
reinforcements around said periphery of said top;

and,

means adapted for at least partially supporting an upper portion of said container for receipt of the materials therewithin.

66. (Canceled)

67. (Currently amended) The device of ~~claim 66~~ claim 65, wherein said bottom comprises dimensions, and wherein said length dimensions of said four sides are equal to said dimensions of said bottom to which said sides are attached.

68. (Original) The device of claim 67, wherein said top is at least partially enclosed.

69. (Original) The device of claim 68 further comprising means for permitting entry of concrete-like materials into said collapsible container.

70. (Original) The device of claim 69, wherein said means for permitting entry is a substantially rectangular opening.

71. (Original) The device of claim 70, wherein said means for permitting entry is substantially centrally located within said top.

72. (Withdrawn) The device of claim 70, wherein said top has a center and wherein said means for permitting entry is located between said center of said top and one of said sides.

73. (Withdrawn) The device of claim 69, wherein said means for permitting entry is a tube.

74. (Withdrawn) The device of claim 73, wherein said tube is carried by said top.

75. (Withdrawn) The device of claim 73, wherein said tube is carried by one of said sides.

76. (Withdrawn) The device of claim 73, wherein said tube is substantially cylindrical.

77. (Withdrawn) The device of claim 68, wherein said collapsible container further comprises vents, whereby air can exit from said device.

78. (Withdrawn-currently amended) The device of ~~claim~~
claim 65, wherein said top is substantially open.

79. (Canceled)

80. (Canceled)

81. (Original) The device of claim 69, wherein said means for permitting entry has a periphery.

82. (Original) The device of claim 81, further comprising reinforcements around said periphery of said means for permitting entry.

83. (Canceled)

84. (Canceled)

85. (Currently amended) The device of ~~claim 83~~claim 112, wherein said loop supports are constructed from a material selected from the group consisting of fabric, metal, reinforced fabric, and plastic.

86. (Withdrawn) The device of claim 85, wherein said means adapted for partially supporting comprises loop supports and reinforcement extensions, and wherein said reinforcement extensions pass through said loop supports.

87. (Withdrawn) The device of claim 86, wherein said reinforcement extensions further comprise support attachment means.

88. (Original) The device of claim 65, wherein said collapsible container further comprises a material that permits water to exit therefrom without permitting concrete particles to exit therefrom.

89. (Original) The device of claim 88, wherein said material comprises a polymer.

90. (Original) The device of claim 88, wherein said material is selected from the group consisting of polyolefins and nylon.

91. (Original) The device of claim 90, wherein said material comprises woven polypropylene.

92. (Original) The device of ~~claim 83~~claim 112, further comprising extension straps attached to said loop supports.

93. (Original) The device of claim 92, wherein said extension straps comprise bungee cords.

94. (Original) The device of claim 92, further comprising means for affixing said extension straps to a support point.

95. (Withdrawn) The device of claim 65, wherein said collapsible container is generally round.

96. (Original) The device of claim 65, wherein said collapsible container comprises any generally prismatic shape.

97. (Canceled)

98. (Canceled)

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100. (Canceled)

101. (Canceled)

102. (Canceled)

103. (Canceled)

104. (Canceled)

105. (Canceled)

106. (Canceled)

107. (Canceled)

108. (Currently amended) A device for collection of concrete-like materials from a material storage reservoir or material distribution means, said collection device comprising:

a water impermeable, collapsible container adapted to be received proximate the material storage reservoir or material distribution means, wherein said collapsible container comprises ~~a top, a bottom and fold lines, and wherein said fold lines are substantially parallel with said top and said bottom~~ wherein said collapsible container further comprises:

four sides, and wherein said four sides comprise length dimensions and height dimensions, and wherein said height dimensions are less than or equal to said length dimensions, and wherein said top has a periphery, further comprising reinforcements around said periphery of said top; and,

means adapted for at least partially supporting a portion of said container, whereby said container may receive the materials therewithin.

109. (Original) The device of claim 108 wherein said water impermeable container comprises a liner.

110. (New) A device for collection of concrete-like materials from a material storage reservoir or material distribution means, said collection device comprising:

a collapsible container adapted to be received proximate the material storage reservoir or material distribution means, said container comprising fold lines and four sides; and,

means adapted for at least partially supporting a portion of said container, whereby said container may receive the materials therewithin, wherein said means adapted for at least partially supporting a portion of said container comprises loop supports, and wherein said sides form junctions therebetween, and wherein said loop supports are carried by said junctions.

111. (New) A device for collection of concrete-like materials from a material storage reservoir or material distribution means, said collection device comprising:

a collapsible container adapted to be received proximate the material storage reservoir or material distribution means, wherein said collapsible container comprises a planar top and four sides, and wherein said planar top comprises an opening coplanar with said planar top; and,

means adapted for at least partially supporting a portion of said container by the material storage reservoir or material distribution means, wherein said means adapted for at least partially supporting a portion of said container comprises loop supports, and wherein said sides form junctions therebetween, and wherein said loop supports are carried by said junctions.

112. (New) A device for collection of concrete-like materials from a material storage reservoir or material distribution means, said collection device comprising:

a collapsible container having a bottom a top and four sides, wherein said top and said bottom are substantially parallel, and wherein said collapsible container is adapted to

be received proximate the material storage reservoir or material distribution means; and,

means adapted for at least partially supporting an upper portion of said container for receipt of the materials therewithin, wherein said means adapted for at least partially supporting a portion of said container comprises loop supports, and wherein said sides form junctions therebetween, and wherein said loop supports are carried by said junctions.

113. (New) A device for collection of concrete-like materials from a material storage reservoir or material distribution means, said collection device comprising:

a collapsible container adapted to be received proximate the material storage reservoir or material distribution means, wherein said collapsible container comprises four sides, and wherein said four sides comprise length dimensions and height dimensions, and wherein said height dimensions are less than or equal to said length dimensions, and wherein said planar top has a periphery, further comprising reinforcements around said periphery of said planar top, and wherein said planar top comprises an opening coplanar with said planar top, wherein said collapsible container further comprises a bottom, wherein

said planar top and said bottom are substantially parallel;
and

means adapted for at least partially supporting a portion
of said container by the material storage reservoir or
material distribution means.